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I am opposed to the DOJ, proposed Microsoft Settlement.

It is a good starting point but allows Microsoft far too much room to continue to act in an anti-competitive way. It is also terminated too quickly.

Microsoft's behavior is and was outrageously unethical, consistent, systematic, and illegal. What is required are sanctions that would cause Microsoft to make a persistent, fundamental change in its behavior. The proposed settlement would not do this. This is a watered down slap on the wrist for Microsoft and is not in the public's best interest.

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